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                    (SATA) SWITCH

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**Clarification of File History**

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests it be entered into the record of the above-noted U.S. Patent that the individual referred to as each of **Sam Nemazie**, **Siamack Nemazie**, or **S. Nemazie** during prosecution of the above-noted U.S. Patent are each the same person.

Please see attached Appendix A, Declaration of Siamack Nemazie.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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**APPENDIX A**  
**Declaration of Siamack Nemazie**

Dear Sir:

I, Siamack Nemazie, declare as follows:

1. I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein, and if called upon to testify, I could and would testify competently thereto.

2. The inventions described and claimed in U.S. Patent No. 7,539,797 were developed in part by me.

3. In the file history of this U.S. Patent No. 7,539,797, I may have been referred to or executed documents as any of:

- a. Sam Nemazie,
- b. Siamack Nemazie, or
- c. S. Nemazie.

4. All of which are names by which I have been and currently am referred to by, and these representations were made without deceptive intent.

5. I hereby declare that all statements made herein are of my own knowledge and are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and, further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Dated: 2/8/2010

  
Siamack Nemazie